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Board/Council Name	Purpose (Responsibilities listed are not exhaustive)	Member Term	Current Vacancies and Upcoming Expirations	Term Start (if applicable)
Accounting Examining Board	Licenses and regulates certified public accountants, public accountants and accounting firms.	5 years	1 Public Member	July
Affirmative Action, Council on	Evaluates the progress of affirmative action programs throughout the civil service system; seeks compliance with state and federal regulations and recommends improvements in state's affirmative action efforts as an employer.	3 years	1 Public Member	July
Aging and Long Term Care, Board on	Monitors and proposes changes in laws, regulations and policies relating to long-term care issues; operates the Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program and the Medigap Hotline (Note: Federal language precludes appointments to individuals who own or are employed by long-term care facility.)	5 years	1 Public Member	
Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection, Board of	Supervises the Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection.	6 years		May
Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse, State Council on	Provides leadership and coordination regarding alcohol and other drug abuse issues confronting the state.	pleasure of the Governor / 4 years		
Architects, Landscape Architects, Professional Engineers, Designers and Land Surveyors	Gives direction and acts upon the qualifications of applicants; grants and revokes licenses; formulates rules and enforces standards of conduct.	4 years	1 Public Member – Professional Engineer  1 Public Member – Design Engineer  1 Public Member – Architect	July
Arts Board	Develops and supports arts programs within the state.	3 years	1 Public Member	May

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Athletic Trainers Affiliated Credentialing Board	Completes credentialing of athletic trainers and refines administrative rules.	4 years	2 Athletic Trainers 1 Licensed Doctor/Surgeon	July
Auctioneer Board	Advises the Secretary of Dept. of Regulation & Licensing on matters relating to administrative rules and other regulatory issues. They have exclusive authority to open and close investigative files and take disciplinary action.	4 years	1 Public Member	May
Banking Review Board	Considers applications for bank charters, makes rules and regulations, reviews acts and decisions as stated in §220.035 Wis. Stats. and ch. Bkg. 10, Wisconsin Administrative Code.	5 years	1 Public Member	
Barbering and Cosmetology Examining Board	Examines, licenses, sets policy, and makes and enforces rules and regulations in accordance with ch. 454 Wis. Stats.	4 years	1 Public Member 1 Private school instructor of barbering or cosmetology	July
Bicycle Coordinating Council, Governor's	Considers matters relating to unifying the efforts of state agencies in encouraging use of the bicycle as an alternative form of transportation, promoting bicycle safety, promoting bicycling as a tourist and recreational activity.	pleasure of the Governor		
Birth to Three Interagency Coordinating Council	The council advises and assists with the Department of Health and Family Services in the development and administration of early intervention services for infants and toddlers with developmental delays and their families.	3 years	Representative of the Council on Developmental Disabilities Parent representatives Provider representatives	
Bradley Center Sports and Entertainment Corporation	Owens and operates the Bradley Center in Milwaukee; maintains the facility; authorizes purchase contracts for goods and services.	7 years		May

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Building Commission, State of WI	Coordinates state's building program; oversees all state construction except highway development; makes biennial budget recommendations.	pleasure of the Governor		
Burial Sites Preservation Board	Develops detailed policies to implement the Burial Sites Preservation Program, reviews decisions of the program director or the administrative hearing examiner concerning applications for permits to disturb catalogued burial sites, and reviews decisions.	3 years		
Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention Board	Administers a statewide grants program for the primary prevention of child abuse and neglect, develops and publicizes criteria for grant applications in two areas: Family Resource Centers and Child Abuse Prevention Programs, makes recommendations to the Legislature.	3 years	1 Public Member	
Chiropractic Examining Board	Licenses and regulates doctors of chiropractic medicine.	4 years		July
Claims Board	Investigates and pays, denies, or makes recommendations on all money claims against the state of \$10 or more, when such claims are referred to it by the Wisc. Dept. of Administration.	while member		
Coastal Management Council, Wisconsin	Advises the Governor on issues pertaining to the Great Lakes coasts and assists in providing policy direction for Wisconsin's coastal management efforts.	pleasure of the Governor	1 Tribal Rep, 1 Milwaukee Mayor appointee	

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College Savings Program Board	Administers the EdVest college savings program that provides for tax-sheltered savings accounts held in a trust fund to cover future higher education expenses.	4 years	3 Public Members	May
Contractor Financial Responsibility Council (INACTIVE)	Advises the Department of Commerce on the development and revision of rules for certifying the financial responsibility of contractors who must obtain a building permit to perform work on a dwelling covered under the Uniform Dwelling Code.	3 years		
Controlled Substances Board	Administers the standards and schedules subchapter of the Controlled Substances Act, issues permits for use of controlled substances for scientific research and other special purposes, and analyzes diversion patterns within the state.	pleasure of the Governor		
Credit Union Review Board	Reviews rules and regulations issued by the Director of the Office of Credit Unions, acts as an appeals board for persons aggrieved by any act of the Director on improving the condition and service of credit unions.	5 years		May
Crime Victim Rights Board	Allows victims to register complaints regarding treatment by law enforcement and court officials, and district attorneys.	4 years		May
Criminal Penalties, Joint Review Committee on		pleasure of the Governor		

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Cultural Arts District Board, Madison	Manages the Overture Center for the Arts which is owned by the Overture Development Corporation. The center is organized for the performance of cultural arts, the development of resident arts organizations, and the dissemination of the arts throughout the community.	pleasure of the Governor		May
Deaf and Hard of Hearing, Council for the	Provides advisory and consultative services to the Wisconsin Office for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing, other governmental bodies, private groups or individuals.	4 years		
Deferred Compensation Board	Sets policy, contracts with investment and administrative service providers, and oversees administration of the program. Is responsible for establishing criteria and procedures for selecting and evaluating investment options offered by the program.	4 years	Public Member	
Dentistry Examining Board	The Board licenses and regulates doctors of dentistry and certifies dental hygienists.	4 years	Public – Dentist Public Member	July
Development Finance Board	Oversees the administration of the Technology Development Fund, Applied Research in Technology, Technology-based Incubator, Customized Labor Training and the Major Economic Development programs; all of these are part of the Wisconsin Development Fund.	2 years		May
Dietitians Affiliated Credentialing Board	Completes credentialing of dietitians and refines administrative rules.	4 years		July

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Disabilities, Council on Developmental	Plans for and oversees the state's responses to the needs of persons with developmental disabilities, to act as an advocate to insure that adequate, appropriate, and humane services are provided, and to provide counsel to the Governor and Legislature.	4 years		
Disabilities, Governor's Committee for People With	Created by Executive Order, the Committee advises the Governor and state agencies about matters affecting people with disabilities.	pleasure of the Governor	3 At-large Members	
Domestic Abuse, Council on	Reviews applications for grants from non-profit corporations or public agencies which provide or propose to provide the following domestic abuse services: shelter facilities, advocacy and counseling for victims, a 24-hour crisis telephone service and com	3 years		
Dry Cleaner Environmental Response Council	Advises the department on matters related to the Dry Cleaner Environmental Response Program, which is administered by DNR and provides awards to dry cleaning establishments for assistance in the investigation and cleanup of environmental contamination	3 years		
Dwelling Code Council	Makes recommendations to the Department of Commerce on rules for one- and two-family dwellings	3 years		
Economic Growth Council		pleasure of the Governor		

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Education Commission of the States	Established to develop national cooperation among executive, legislative, educational, and lay leaders of the various states.	pleasure of the Governor	2 Public Members	
Educational Approval Board	Approves private trade, correspondence, business and technical schools doing business in Wisconsin.	pleasure of the Governor		
Educational Communications Board	Plans, develops, constructs, operates and maintains the state's educational radio and television networks; receives and disburses stated, federal and private funds.	4 years pleasure of the Governor		
Elections Board	Administers state election laws and investigates violations of such laws.	2 years	1 Governor Representative	
Emergency Medical Services Board	Advises the Department of Health and Family Services on the funding program which provides grants to licensed ambulance service providers and tuition-free training for Emergency Medical Technician-Basic and EMT Refresher training.	3 years	4 people with interest or expertise in emergency medical services	
Employee Trust Funds Boards	Sets policy for the Department of Employee Trust Funds (ETF); appoints the ETF Secretary; approves tables used for computing benefits, contribution rates and actuarial assumptions; authorizes all annuities except for disability; approves or rejects ETF administrative rules; and generally oversees the benefit programs, except group insurance and deferred compensation.	4 years		
Ethics Board	Administers Wisconsin's lobbying laws and Wisconsin's Code of Ethics for public officials.	6 years	2 Public Members	

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Forestry, Council on	Advises the Governor on issues pertaining to forest lands and provides policy direction for Wisconsin's forest management efforts.	pleasure of the Governor	County Rep. (Forests)	
Fox River Navigational System Authority		3 years		July
Funeral Directors Examining Board	Licenses and regulates, makes and enforces the regulations in accordance with statutory provisions.	4 years		July
Geologists, Hydrologists and Soil Scientists, Examining Board of Professional	Licenses and regulates, makes and enforces the regulations in accordance with statutory provisions.	4 years	Public - Geologist Prof. Hydrologist Public – Soil	
Governor's Work-Based Learning Board	Plans and implements the Youth Apprenticeship, School-to-Work, and Work-Based Learning Programs and other such employment and education programs as assigned by the Governor.	pleasure of the Governor		
Great Lakes Compact Commission	Represents the State of Wisconsin in working with other Great Lakes states to develop the St. Lawrence seaway into a viable transportation link to the Atlantic.	4 years		July
Great Lakes Protection Fund	Oversees distribution of funds used for the protection, research and cleanup of the Great Lakes.	2 years		
Groundwater Coordinating Council	Advises state agencies in the coordination of non-regulatory programs related to groundwater. Prepares an annual report to the legislature.	pleasure of the Governor	Governor's Designee	

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Groundwater Advisory Council				
Group Insurance Board	Sets policy and oversees administration of the Group Health, Life Insurance, and Income Continuation Insurance Plans for state employees and the Group Health and Life Insurance Plans for local employers who choose to offer them.	2 years		
Health Care Fraud and Abuse, Council				
Health Care Information, Board on	Advises the Director of the Office of Health Care Information (OHCI) with regard to collection, analysis and dissemination of health care information, determines whether OHCI will contract for services and has the authority to approve specifications.	4 years	1 Hospital Rep. 1 Registered Nurse 1 Public Member	
Hearing and Speech Examining Board	The Board licenses and regulates hearing instrument specialists and registers speech language pathologists and audiologists.	4 years		
Higher Educational Aids Board	Recommends changes in student financial aid structure; oversees the MN/WI Reciprocity program.	3 years	1 Technical College Student 1 Independent College Student 1 UW Student 1 member of a board of trustees of an independent college or university in this state 1 Regent Member	

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Highway Safety, Council on	Advises the Sec. of DOT, the Highway Safety Director and the Governor on matters of highway safety in Wisconsin.	3 years		
Historic Preservation Review Board	Approves, upon recommendation of the State Historic Preservation Officer, nominations to the Wisconsin State Register of Historic Places and the National Register of Historic Places; reviews surveys and inventories of certain historic properties.	3 years		
Historic Sites Foundation (aka-Circus World Museum Foundation)	Reports on the current status of the State Historical Society's historic sites and assess issues related to administering the sites: their economic operating models; models used for interpretation, promotional activities, and stewardship of their holdings including historic buildings, museum collections, and archives.	pleasure of the Governor		
Historical Records Advisory Board	Created by Executive Order to enable the State of Wisconsin to participate in the grants program of the National Historical Publications and Records Commission. The Commission coordinates the preservation of historic records in the United States and approves of federal grants to the state advisory board.	3 years	2 public members with no professional background in historical records 1 professional member	
Historical Society Endowment Fund Council (INACTIVE)	Advises the state historical society regarding the raising and disbursement of funds used to support the society's historical and cultural preservation services and educational activities.	pleasure of the Governor		

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Independent Review Board	Examines requests for patient data originating with health care providers that are not hospitals or ambulatory surgery centers.	4 years	1 Statistician or Researcher 1 Purchaser of Health Care	
Injured Patients Compensation Fund, Health Care Liability Insurance Plan, Board of Governors	Oversees the health care liability plans for health care coverage for licensed physicians, nurse anesthetists, medical partnerships, medical service corporations and hospitals, and supervises the Patients Compensation Fund.	3 years	2 Non-Attorney / Non-Physician reps.	
Interagency Coordinating Council	Advises and assists state agencies in coordinating the collection and dissemination of health care data, including agency budgets for data collection programs.	4 years		
Invasive Species Council		5 years		
Judicial Commission	Conducts investigations for review and action by the supreme court regarding allegations of misconduct or permanent disability of a court commissioner or judge.	3 years		
Judicial Council	Studies, surveys and advises the Supreme Court and the Legislature with regard to pleading, practice and procedure, judicial organization, jurisdiction and methods, and recommends legislative remedy or changes in procedure on any matter affecting the administration of justice in Wisconsin, and may recommend legislation to change the procedure, jurisdiction, or organization of the courts.	3 years		

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Judicial Selection, Governor's Advisory Council on	Council makes recommendations to the Governor on filling vacancies in the state court system.	pleasure of the Governor		
Juvenile Justice Commission, Governor's	Advises the Governor and the Legislature on matters concerning juvenile justice.	pleasure of the Governor	2 Youth Representatives 2 Public Members 1 Government Representative	
Kickapoo Reserve Management Board	Manages lands in the Kickapoo Valley Reserve to preserve and enhance its environmental, scenic, and cultural features; provides facilities for the use and enjoyment of visitors; and promotes the reserve as a destination for vacationing and recreation.	3 years	Local / Ho-Chunk nominee Kickapoo watershed resident	May
Labor and Industry Review Commission	A quasi-judicial body, which handles petitions seeking review of decisions by the Dept. of Workforce Development related to unemployment insurance, worker's compensation, fair employment, and public accommodations.	6 years		March
Labor and Management Council (INACTIVE)	Advises Dept. of Workforce Development about sponsoring labor and management conferences and meetings and promoting positive relations between labor and management.	5 years		
Laboratory of Hygiene Board	Determines and adopts the budget for the State's Public and Environmental Laboratory. Administratively part of the University of Wisconsin-Madison where it has a teaching and research mission.	3 years	Local Health Department Representative	May

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Lake Michigan Commercial Fishing Board	Reviews and approves/denies applications for transfer of license; establishes criteria for catch quotas.	pleasure of the Governor		
Land and Water Conservation Board	Advises the Dept. Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection on soil and water conservation issues and administers certain aspects of farmland preservation programs.	some 4 years some 2 years	1 Large City Rep.	
Land Information Board (Repealed 1997 Act 27 – Eff 9/1/03)	Directs and supervises the Wisconsin Land Information Program and serves as the state clearinghouse for access to land information. The program will facilitate the modernization of land records through automation over time.	6 years		
Law Enforcement Standards Board	Sets educational and training standards, certifies officer and instructor candidates, establishes curriculum requirements, consults in the development of training schools and courses, conducts research to improve law enforcement administration and perform	4 years	1 Sheriff Rep.	May
Length of Service Award Board	Assists municipalities in retaining volunteer fire fighters and EMTs. The program provides a cash match per year of service to the municipality. At retirement, each fire fighter with more than 10 years of service collects some or all of their account.	2 years	Fire Chiefs Org. Rep.	
Library and Network Development, Council on	Advises the State Superintendent with regard to general policies and activities of the state's program on library development and inter-library cooperation and resource sharing.	3 years		

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Lower Wisconsin State Riverway Board	Reviews applications for permits for structures and facilities along the Lower Wisconsin Riverway.	3 years	1 Sauk County rep. nominated by the County  1 Crawford County rep. nominated by the County  1 Recreational user rep.	May
Main Street Programs, Council on	Recommends to the Secretary of the Department of Commerce municipalities to participate in the state Main Street Program and recommends procedures to improve that program.	3 years	1 City Planner	
Marriage and Family Therapy Professional Counseling and Social Work Examining Board	The Board certifies social workers, advanced practice social workers, independent social workers, independent clinical social workers, marriage and family therapists and professional counselors.	4 years	1 Public Member, Social Worker section	July
Massage Therapy and Body Worker Advisory Committee	Certifies and reviews massage therapists and body workers.	4 years		July
Medical College of Wisconsin, Inc., Board of Trustees of the	Manages the Medical College of Wisconsin, Inc.	6 years	1 Public Member	May
Medical Examining Board	The Board licenses and regulates physicians, physical therapists, podiatrists and physicians' assistants.	4 years	1 Public Member	July
Medical Mediation Panel		pleasure of the Governor		

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Menominee County Management Review Task Force				
Mental Health, Council on	Advises the Dept. of Health and Family Services, Governor and Legislature on mental health programs, provides recommendations on the expenditure of federal mental health block grants, reviews the Department's plans for mental health services.	3 years		
Midwest Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Commission	Responsible for disposal of low-level radioactive wastes based on the Midwest Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Compact.	pleasure of the Governor		
Midwestern Higher Education Commission	Furtheres higher educational opportunities for residents of compact states. Enter into agreements with member and non-member states, or their universities and colleges, to provide programs and services for students, including student exchanges and improved access.	2 years		
Migrant Labor, Council on	Advises Dept. of Workforce Development and other state officials on matters affecting migrant workers.	3 years		
Milwaukee Child Welfare Partnership Council	Makes recommendations to Dept. of Health & Family Services and the Legislature regarding policies and plans to improve the child welfare system in Milwaukee County, including a neighborhood-based system for services.	3 years	1 Milwaukee County Resident Member	

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Milwaukee Gang Violence Reduction Initiative	Seeks to bring about significant, long-term reductions in gang activity and improve overall community health in four nationwide pilot communities. Uses collaborative efforts at the local, State and Federal levels.	Pleasure of the Governor	1 Juvenile Justice rep. 1 Midtown Neighborhood rep.	
Milwaukee River Revitalization Council	Advises and assists state and local governmental agencies in matters relating to the environmental, recreational and economic revitalization of the Milwaukee River basin.	3 years		
Minority Business Development Board	Reviews and acts upon applications made to the Minority Development Fund; makes loans to certified minority businesses who make application to the Department of Commerce.	2 years	2 Public Members	May
Mississippi River Parkway Commission	Assists in coordinating the development and preservation of the Great River Road (Road) in Wisconsin and its embellishments, such as scenic easements, roadside parks and scenic overlooks, and assists other state agencies.	4 years		Feb
Multifamily Dwelling Code Council	Makes recommendations to the Department of Commerce on rules for statewide multi-family dwelling construction.	3 years		
National and Community Service Board	Administers community service programs under the federal National and Community Service Trust 1993; prepares applications for financial assistance and educational grants for the Corporation for National Service.	3 years	1 Older Adult rep. 2 Local government reps. 1 NSP representative 1 Education representative	May
Natural Resources Board	Directs and supervises the Dept. of Natural Resources.	6 years	1 At-large Member	May

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Nursing Home Administrator Examining Board	Develops and enforces standards which must be met by individuals in order to receive a license as a nursing home administrator; issues and revokes licenses; and receives, investigates and takes appropriate action in regard to any complaint filed.	4 years	1 Public Member	July
Nursing, Board of	Regulatory, advisory and policy-making authority; it appoints the Registered Nurses and Practical Nurses Examining Councils and carries out responsibilities mandated by ch.441 Wis. Stats.	4 years	1 Public Member	July
Occupational Therapists Affiliated Credentialing Board	Licenses and regulates occupational therapists in the state.	4 years	1 Public Member	July
Optometry Examining Board	Licenses and regulates optometrists in the state.	4 years		July
Pardon Advisory Board	Reviews applications for executive clemency and makes recommendations to the governor on each request.	pleasure of the Governor		
Perfusionists Examining Council	Serves as a medical examining board in an advisory capacity.	3 years	1 Public Member	May
Petroleum Storage Environmental Cleanup Council	Advises the Secretary of Commerce on any rules which may be promulgated under the Petroleum Storage Remedial Action Fund, reviews and advises the Secretaries of Commerce and other advisory duties.	4 years		
Pharmacy Examining Board	Licenses and regulates pharmacists, pharmacies, manufacturers and wholesalers/distributors in the state.	4 years		July

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Physical Disabilities, Council on	Develops, approves, and continually modifies a staff plan for services to people with physical disabilities. Advises Dept. of Health & Family Services, recommends legislation, encourages public understanding of the needs of persons with physical disabilities, and promotes programs to prevent physical disability.	3 years  Governor's Designee serves at the pleasure of the Governor	2 Public Members	
Physical Fitness and Health, Governor's Council on	Makes recommendations to the Governor concerning programs and policy development related to fitness and better health. Develops cooperative relationships among state agencies, educational institutions, businesses, associations, and foundations.	pleasure of the Governor		
Physical Therapists Affiliated Credentialing Board	Licenses and regulates physical therapists and physical therapist assistants.	4 years	1 Therapists Assistant 1 Public Member	
Physician Assistants, Council on	Serves the Medical Examining Board in an advisory capacity.	2 years		
Podiatrists Affiliated Credentialing Board	Licenses and regulates podiatrists in the state.	4 years		July
Poet Laureate Nomination Commission	Recommend laureate candidates; assigns responsibilities to the poet laureate; assists that individual in performing official duties.	4 years	Governor's Designee	May
Prison Industries Board	Oversees and advises the Department of Corrections on the operation of prison industries. Reviews the prison industries budget developed by the Department, develops a plan for the operation and marketing of prison industries.	4 years	1 Private Labor Rep.	May

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Private Employer Health Care Coverage Board (repeal eff. 01/01/10) INACTIVE	(Per 1999 WI Act 9 this Board will be repealed effective 01/01/10)	3 years		
Psychology Examining Board	Licenses and regulates psychologists in the state.	4 years	1 Psychologist	July
Public Defender Board	Supervises and directs the Office of the State Public Defender, appoints the State Public Defender, sets policy and exercises authority in accordance with statutory provisions.	3 years		May
Public Records Board	Responsible for the preservation of important state records and the disposition of obsolete state records.	pleasure of the Governor		
Railroads, Commissioner of	Enforces regulations related to railway safety and investigates the safety of highway crossings.	6 years		
Real Estate Appraisers Board	Regulates appraisals of commercial and residential real estate; grants and issues certificates to appraisers and advises the Sec. of Dept. of Regulation & Licensing on matters relating to appraisers.	4 years	2 Public Members 1 Assessor	July
Real Estate Board	Advises the Secretary of the Dept. of Regulation & Licensing on matters relating to real estate practice, and has sole authority to discipline real estate licensees. The Board does not have rule-making authority.	4 years	1 Public Member	July

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Real Estate Curriculum and Examinations, Council on	Advises the Secretary of the Dept. of Regulation & Licensing on promulgation of rules, establishing continuing education requirements, and preparing and revising manuals. At least once a year, review subjects covered on examinations for licensure.	4 years	1 Broker/sales	July
Recycling, Council on	Promotes efficient and prompt implementation of recycling programs; recommends recyclable packaging standards.	4 years		
Regents of the University of Wisconsin System, Board of	Responsible for governance of the University of Wisconsin System.	7 years	2 Regents 1 Student Regent	May
Regional Planning Commission, Bay-Lake	Prepares and adopts a master development plan for the region, which includes the counties of: Brown, Florence, Kewaunee, Manitowoc, Marinette, Oconto, and Sheboygan.	6 years		Ocober
Regional Planning Commission, East Central Wisconsin	Prepares and adopts a master development plan for the region, which includes the counties of: Calumet, Fond du Lac, Green Lake, Marquette, Menominee, Outagamie, Shawano, Waupaca, Waushara and Winnebago.	4 years	1 Calumet County Joint Appointment 1 Shawano County Joint Appointment 1 Winnebago County Joint Appointment	May

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Regional Planning Commission, Mississippi River	Provides planning and development services to local governments to enhance the economic well-being and the environment of the region, which includes the counties of: Buffalo, Crawford, Jackson, La Crosse, Monroe, Pepin, Pierce, Trempealeau and Vernon.	6 years		
Regional Planning Commission, North Central Wisconsin	Prepares and adopts a master development plan for the region, which includes the counties of: Adams, Forest, Juneau, Langlade, Lincoln, Marathon, Oneida and Wood.	6 years	1 Juneau County Governor Appointment	
Regional Planning Commission, Southeastern Wisconsin	Provides basic information, planning services and advice to local units of government in the areas of municipal planning, engineering and management. Region includes the counties of: Kenosha, Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Racine, Walworth, Washington and Waukesha.	6 years		September
Regional Planning Commission, Southwestern Wisconsin	Conducts studies, prepares plans and advises local units of government in areas of planning, development and grantsmanship. Region includes the counties of: Grant, Green, Iowa, Lafayette and Richland.	6 years		September
Respiratory Care Practitioners Examining Council	Serves the Medical Examining Board in an advisory capacity	3 years	1 Public Member	July

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Retirement Research Committee	Provides continuous review and study of retirement systems for public employes; investigates and reports to the Legislature on retirement systems, oversees the financial condition of public employes' pension or retirement plans and the nature and amounts.	4 years	2 Taxpayer rep. 1 employer rep. 1 state employee rep. 1 teacher rep. not from Milwaukee	
Retirement Systems, Joint Survey Committee on	Studies and analyzes all legislative proposals pertaining to the retirement systems or payment of pensions prior to enactment of such legislation by the Legislature.	4 years	1 Public Member	
Rural Economic Development Board	Reviews and acts upon applications made to the Rural Economic Development Program and may provide financial assistance to rural businesses with fewer than 25 employees for planning and managerial assistance.	3 years	1 Rural Business Owner	May
Rural Finance Authority (INACTIVE)				May
Rural Health Development Council	Makes recommendations to the Department of Commerce on ways to improve the delivery of health care to persons living in rural areas of the state that qualify as medical shortage areas and on other rural health issues.	5 years	1 Private Lender Rep. 1 Health Care Facility Rep.	May
Sentencing Commission	Monitors and compiles data on sentencing practices; provides information on costs of sentencing practices to the legislature, state agencies, and the public; provides information to judges and lawyers on sentencing guidelines	3 years		Jan

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Small Business Environmental Council	As a component of the State of Wisconsin's Clean Air Act compliance plan, members work with the Small Business Clean Air Assistance Program to help small businesses understand and comply with the regulations of the Clean Air Act Amendments.	3 years		
Small Business Regulatory Review Board	Examines current laws and policies that relate to the regulation of small business and recommends legislative actions and other changes to make such regulations cost effective.			
Snowmobile Recreational Council	Makes recommendations on matters pertaining to snowmobiling.	3 years		July
Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology, Council on	Serves the Hearing and Speech Examining Board in an advisory capacity.	3 years		
State Capitol and Executive Residence Board	Directs maintenance of the furnishings and property of the capitol and executive residence.	6 years	1 Interior Designer	May
State Employees Suggestion Board	Administers a program to encourage and reward unusual and meritorious suggestions and accomplishments by state employees promoting the efficiency and economy in the performance of any function of state government.	4 years	1 Public Member	May
State Fair Park Board	Manages the State Fair Park	5 years		May
State Historical Society Board of Curators		3 years		July

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State of Wisconsin Investment Board	Responsible for investing the assets of the Wisconsin Retirement System, the State Investment Fund and several smaller public funds.	6 years		May
State Post Secondary Review Entity				
State Rehabilitation Council	Reviews, analyzes and advises the Division of Vocational Rehabilitation regarding the performance of its responsibilities in providing quality services to persons with disabilities.	3 years	3 Business/Industry/Labor Reps. 1 DVR 1 SWIB rep.	July
State Trails Council	Advises the Dept. of Natural Resources on the planning, acquisition, development and management of state trails.	4 years		
State Use Board	Oversees the program for state purchases from work centers for the severely handicapped.	4 years	1 Public Member	
Statewide Independent Living Council	Responsibility to develop and submit the state plan for independent living services for the severely disabled to state and federal agencies; monitor, review, and evaluate the state plan.	3 years		July
Tax Appeals Commission	Hears and decides disputes between persons or entities and Dept. of Revenue involving all major, state-imposed taxes.	6 years	1 Commissioner	
Tax Exemptions, Joint Survey Committee on	Renders an opinion on legislative proposals that would create new laws or modify existing ones related to tax exemptions.	2 years		

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Teachers Retirement Board	Advises the Employee Trust Fund Board on retirement and other benefit matters involving public school, vocational, state and university teachers; acts on administrative rules and authorizes or terminates teacher disability benefits.	5 years		
Telecommunications Relay Service Council	Advises the Dept. of Administration on the creation and implementation of a telecommunications relay system that allows hearing and speech impaired people to access the telephone network.	pleasure of the Governor	1 Speech/hearing impaired rep.	
Tourism, Council on	Serves as a liaison between state government and the tourism industry.	3 years	1 Public Member	
Transportation Projects Commission	Reviews major highway projects submitted by the Dept. of Transportation and makes recommendations concerning major highway projects to the Governor, the Legislature and the Joint Committee on Finance.	pleasure		
Uniform State Laws, Commission on	Advises the Legislature with regard to uniform laws and model laws and may attend the annual meeting of the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws.	4 years		
United Nations, Governor's Commission on the	Sponsors educational programs and activities to increase public awareness of the United Nations; plans Wisconsin's official observance of United Nations Day and Human Rights Day.	pleasure		
University of Wisconsin Hospital and Clinics Authority/Board	Oversees operations of the University of Wisconsin Hospital and Clinics.	3 years		

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Utility Public Benefits, Council on	Advises DOA on issues related to energy efficiency, conservation programs, and energy assistance to low-income households, including weatherization, payment of energy bills, and early identification and prevention of energy crises.	3 years		
Veterans Affairs, Board of	Supervises and directs the Dept. of Veterans Affairs; determines policy on veterans matters; selects the Secretary of the Dept. of Veteran Affairs.	6 years	2 Veterans	May
Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory Board	Oversees the Veterinary Diagnostic Lab., which provides animal health testing and diagnostic services on a state-wide basis for all types of animals.	3 years	1 Individual Served by the Laboratory	May
Veterinary Examining Board	Licenses and regulates veterinarians and animal technicians in the state.	4 years		July
Volunteer Fire Fighter and Emergency Medical Technician Service Award Board	Establishes administrative rules for the operation of a service awards program designed to provide monetary rewards for volunteer fire fighters and EMTs based on their length of service to a community.	3 years		May
Waste Facility Siting Board	Administers a negotiation-arbitration process to determine sites for solid and hazardous waste management facilities in the state.	3 years		
Wisconsin Center District Board of Directors	Operates the Wisconsin Center in Milwaukee.	3 years		
Wisconsin Employment Relations Commission	Promotes collective bargaining and peaceful labor relations in the private and public sectors.	6 years		

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Wisconsin Encourages Healthy Lifestyles Council	Design a plan to promote the overall health and well-being of state employees relying on core principles developed in <i>Healthiest Wisconsin 2010</i> .	pleasure of the Governor		
Wisconsin Health and Educational Facilities Authority	Assists all eligible Wisconsin health care and education institutions to obtain and maintain access to the broadcast range of lowest cost private capital market financing alternatives.	7 years		
Wisconsin Housing and Economic Development Authority	Works with banks, savings and loans and other lenders to provide low-cost financing or loan guarantees for housing, business development and farm activity.	4 years		
Wisconsin Humanities Council	Awards grants to non-profit organizations and institutions throughout the state for public humanities programs and conducts programs designed to enhance public understanding and appreciation of the humanities.	3 years		
Wisconsin International Trade Council	Advises the Governor and the Secretaries of the Departments of Commerce and Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection on the state's role in the development of international trade.	pleasure		
Wisconsin Land Council	(Per 1997 WI Act 27 this Board was repealed effective 09/01/03)	5 years		
Wisconsin Professional Baseball Park District Board	Oversees issues related to funding, construction and operation of the new Milwaukee Brewers Baseball Stadium.	some 4 years some 2 years		

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Wisconsin Retirement Board	Advises the Employee Trust Funds Board on the state retirement fund, management functions for Wisconsin's retirement systems, and all programs and policy not related to matters regarding teachers.	5 years		
Wisconsin Technical College System Board	Oversees operations of the Wisconsin Technical College System.	6 years	1 Student Rep. 1 Public Member	
Wisconsin Waterways Commission	May conduct studies and recommend Administrative Rules related to recreational boating.	5 years		
Women's Council	Mandated to enhance the ability of Wisconsin women to participate fully in all aspects of life. Promotes initiatives that empower women; serves as an informational clearinghouse on women's programs; and promotes unique partnerships to address issues affecting Wisconsin women. Advises state government and may recommend legislation or administrative proposals.	some 4 years some 2 years		
Worker's Compensation Rating Committee	Classifies and rates all Worker's Compensation and Employers' Liability risks in Wisconsin. Adopts appropriate rules and regulations to carry out these purposes and a manual of rules, classifications, rates and rating plans.	pleasure of the Governor		
Workforce Investment, Governor's Council on	Develops a unified state workforce investment plan.	pleasure of the Governor	1 Workforce Investment Rep.	

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